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An Inkster man has been charged in the death of a 37-year-old Onstead woman in a vehicle collision in Pittsfield Township.

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The Family and Consumer Science Educators of Michigan have selected Romulus High School educator Lisa Willerick as their 2015 teacher of the year.

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The Kroger store on Michigan Avenue in Wayne will close at the end of the year to make way for the expansion of an adjacent business.

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Westland will receive $2.3 million in federal funding to hire 13 new firefighters for 2 years as part of the (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response) program.

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State requires corrections at park project

Don Howard
Staff Writer

> *They (Plymouth Township) need to change the location of the outflow…*

Officials from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) have determined that the 4-acre, 209-spot parking lot under construction in McClumpha Park in Plymouth Township is in violation of state regulations.

Following a second meeting with state regulators early Monday morning, Hae-Jin Yoon, Southeast Michigan supervisor for the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) said the township needs to make improvements to comply with state regulations by changing the location of the outflow at the parking lot site, "so runoff water goes in more of an upland area."

Yoon said with the current design most of the (runoff) water goes into storm drains that empty too close to the valley which is a designated Rouge River subwatershed. The storm drains lead to perforated underground piping. Runoff water, Yoon explained, can contain many types of contaminants, including gas and oil from automobiles which can seriously threaten water quality.

"They (Plymouth Township) need to change the location of the outflow…" Yoon explained. She was referring to is the same area township officials have designated for proposed construction of an outdoor amphitheater where vegetation was removed and core drillings for soil samples were completed last year.

This was the second meeting with the MDEQ officials and the township. Yoon and Wayne County Water Quality Analyst Andrew Bahrou met with Township Supervisor Shannon Price, Township Park Director Mike Mitchell, Township Engineer Patrick Felrath and David Richmond, project manager from Spalding DeDecker, the consulting engineers who replaced the original project engineering firm, on Aug. 7 to discuss changes to the plans that would mitigate the problems and bring the township into compliance with recommended MDEQ requirements.

Following the second meeting on Monday, both Yoon and Sally Petrella, volunteer monitoring program manager from Friends of the Rouge, confirmed that the township was in the process of developing revised drawings and delving into the plans. Yoon said the township had agreed to change the plans to mitigate the water flow. Price did not attend the meeting Monday morning but said that his understanding of the meeting was that it went well.

"Everybody's on the same page…nobody's trying to hide anything, everybody's happy," Price said.

"They are addressing the problems," Yoon said Monday. "They're changing the outfall location to go up stream."

Petrella said the township also promised to clean silt out of the

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Aw shucks!

Annual Lions Club Corn Roast set this Saturday

There's a lot more to the annual Lions Club Corn Roast than corn.

Sure, the corn is fresh-picked and gently roasted to perfection over charcoal grills, but in addition, there are hot dogs, baked beans, watermelon, ice cream, cotton candy and sno-cones, all for a free-will offering.

Members of the Canton Lions Club will host their annual Corn Roast at the Cady/Boyer Barn from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 22. The barn is located in Preservation Park on Ridge Road, just north of Cherry Hill Road.

In addition to the menu of favorites, the Lions will host the Canton Community Concert Band, official band of the Village Theater, to provide musical entertainment while the Canton Historical Society will show life as it was in the past with various demonstrations.

Professionals from Ear Center Audiology will provide free hearing checks and there will be face painting and a balloon twister.

A bounce house is planned and Leader Dog School will have puppy raisers and dogs for the blind on site along with a petting farm for youngsters. Project Kids Sight will identify sight impairments children and Seedling Braille Books will demonstrate books for the blind.

The Sisters of the Union will be wearing attire from the Victorian era while they cook some of the menu items and the Village Wellness Center will provide massages for those tired backs.

In addition, there will be wood carvers sculpturing various pieces during the afternoon.

The corn roast is an all-you-can-eat event and is based on a free-will offering from those who attend. All funds raised through donations will be used to assist the charities supported by the Lions Club. A 50-50 and gift basket raffles will take place during the event, a spokesman said.

The Canton Lions Club serves both the Belleville and Canton areas. Membership is open and meeting take place monthly at Rose's Restaurant, 201 N. Canton Center Road in Canton.

For more information, call Lions Club member Bill Van Winkle at (734) 254-9404 or email govbill1@wowway.com or visit Cantonlions.org.

Woman faces murder charges in Wayne crash

Onika Adrenelle-Cannon Fields, 39, reportedly of Detroit, will face second-degree murder and driving on a suspended license charges in the death of a Romulus woman Aug. 12.

Police said that Fields was fleeing another hit-and-run accident when she struck the vehicle of 67-year-old Alzada Dolencic at the intersection of Merriman and Van Born roads in Wayne at about 2 p.m. last Wednesday. Other passengers were also injured in the crash, according to police reports.

Fields was arraigned last Friday morning by 29th District Court Judge Laura Mack on charges of second-degree murder, and driving while license suspended, causing death. She entered a not guilty plea and remains in custody in lieu of a $10,000 cash bond. Her preliminary court examination is set for Sept. 1.

Investigators said that Fields ignored a red light and crashed into a vehicle at the intersection of Middlebelt and Van Born roads in Westland and then "fled at a high rate of speed."

Police said Fields had earlier ignored another red light in Romulus, causing a rear-end collision when another motorist was forced to slam on his brakes abruptly. While she was not directly involved in that collision, police said, her actions apparently caused that crash.

Police from Wayne, Westland and Romulus blocked numerous streets surrounding the area of the fatal collision during the investigation. Police said that Fields was partially through the intersection when the fatal crash occurred.

Dolencic had reportedly just left her doctor's office and was only about a mile from her home when the crash took place. She was airlifted to a hospital for treatment of her injuries but died the same day.

Wayne County Prosecutor Kym L. Worthy said, "The alleged defendant's conduct in this case was dangerous to everyone who was on Wayne County roads at 2 p.m. Aug. 12. Cars can be a murder weapon just like a gun or a knife."

Teen's boyfriend to spend life in prison for plot

Michael Rivera was sentenced to life in prison by Wayne County Circuit Court Judge James Callahan last week, following his conviction on charges of plotting to murder his teenage girlfriend's Plymouth Township family last October.

Rivera, now 24, and Roksana Sikorski, 14 at the time of the attack, were each accused of four counts of conspiracy to commit murder, one count of attempted murder, one count of using a computer to commit a crime and felonious assault with a dangerous weapon. A jury found Rivera guilty of all charges July 23. Sikorski, being tried as an adult despite her age, is scheduled to go to trial in October.

Sikorski was 15 when she and Rivera allegedly plotted to kill her parents, sister and brother so they could run away together and he could avoid sexual misconduct charges her parents had filed against him in an attempt to separate the two. Sikorski allegedly slashed the throat of her sleeping 12-year-old brother whose screams alerted the rest of the family. Investigators said at the time that Sikorski fled the home, leaving behind her cell phone on which they found messages between her and Rivera, who was 22 at the time, including explicit instructions on ways to kill her family by slitting their throats as they slept.

Sikorski and Rivera were arrested the next morning at his Detroit home and both have remained in custody since that time. Prosecutor Kym Worthy opted to charge Sikorski as an

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Charter Township of Canton - Board Proceedings –August 11, 2015

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday, August 11, 2015 at 1150 Canton Center S., Canton, Michigan. Supervisor LaJoy called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. **Roll Call** Members Present: Anthony, Bennett, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Sneideman, Williams, Yack Members Absent: None Staff Present: Director Bilbrey-Honsowetz, Director Faas, Director Mutchler, Director Trumbull, Kristin Kolb Staff Absent: None **Adoption of Agenda:** Motion by Bennett, supported by Anthony to amend the agenda to add Item G-11 - Consider Approval of a Revised Intergovernmental Agreement with Wayne County for the Local Partnering Initiative for Township Roads and Item G-12 - Accept State of Michigan, Michigan Department of State, Help America Vote Act Section 261 Financial Assistance Grant for the Purchase of 42 ADA Access Voting Booths for the Charter Township of Canton. Motion carried unanimously. **Approval of Minutes** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the Board Minutes of July 28, 2015 as presented. Motion carried unanimously. **Citizen's Non-Agenda Item Comments:** George Miller, 1946 Briarfield, asked when road repairs in Forest Brook Subdivision will begin. Supervisor LaJoy explained work will start once the county public service committee votes it in. Mr. Miller asked why a grievance form is not available at the police department front desk, it must be obtained from the shift commander. Director Mutchler explained the citizen complaint policy has not changed. **Payment of Bills**: Motion by McLaughlin, supported by Williams to approve payment of the bills as presented. Motion carried unanimously. **CONSENT CALENDAR: Item C-1. Consideration of Second Reading and Adoption of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 46, Article II, "Offenses Involving The Person," Sec. 46-32 And 46-34 To Add A Prohibition Against Using The Internet and/or Social Media Sites to Harass Another Person.** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to remove from the table the first reading of an ordinance which amends the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 46, Article II, "Offenses Involving The Person," Sec. 46-32 And 46-34 to add a prohibition against using the internet and/or social media sites to harass another person. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to hold the second reading and amend the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 46, Article II, "Offenses Involving The Person," Sec. 46-32 And 46-34 to add a prohibition against using the internet and/or social media sites to harass another person with a publication and effective date of August 20, 2015. Motion carried unanimously. **STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CHAPTER 46 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 46 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, TO PROHIBIT USE OF AN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION AND/OR SOCIAL MEDIA TO TERRORIZE, FRIGHTEN, INTIMIDATE, THREATEN, HARASS, MOLEST, OR ANNOY ANY OTHER PERSON, OR TO DISTURB THE PEACE AND QUIET OF ANY OTHER PERSON, OR TO INTENTIONALLY FILE A FALSE POLICE REPORT. THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS: SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO CODE. Sec. 46-32. - Malicious annoyance by writing.** It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to send or deliver or to make and, for the purpose of being delivered or sent, to part with possession of any letter, postal card or writing, including a text message, or an electronic message sent through any public or private social media outlet, or an electronic posting on the internet/worldwide web, containing any obscene language with or without a name subscribed thereto, or with any letter, mark or other designation, with the intent thereby to cause annoyance or shock or threaten such person or with a view or intent to extort or gain any money or property of any description belonging to another **Sec. 46-33. [Unchanged.] Sec. 46-34. - Malicious use of service provided by telecommunications services.** Any person within the township is guilty of a misdemeanor who maliciously uses any telecommunications device or service provided by a common carrier with intent to terrorize, frighten, intimidate, threaten, harass, molest, or annoy any other person, or to disturb the peace and quiet of any other person by any of the following: Threatening physical harm or damage to any person or property in the course of a telephone conversation or exchange via any electronic communication device or service. (2) Intentionally making a false report by telephone or electronic message that any person has been injured, has suddenly taken ill, has suffered death, or has been the victim of a crime, or of an accident. (3) Deliberately refusing or failing to disengage a connection between a telephone and another telephone or between a telephone and other equipment provided for the transmission of messages by telephone, thereby interfering with any communications service. (4) Using any vulgar, indecent, obscene, or offensive language or suggesting any lewd or lascivious act in the course of a telephone conversation or electronic communication. (5) Repeatedly initiating a telephone call and, without speaking, deliberately hanging up or breaking the telephone connection as or after the telephone call is answered. (6) Making an unsolicited commercial telephone call which is received between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. For the purpose of this subsection, the term "an unsolicited commercial telephone call" means a call made by a person or recording device on behalf of a person soliciting business or contributions. (7) Deliberately calling a telephone of another person in a repetitive manner which causes interruption in telephone service or prevents the person from utilizing his telephone service. **SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY** If any clause, sentence, section, paragraph or part of this Ordinance, or the application of thereof to any person, firm, corporation, legal entity or circumstances, shall be for any reason adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, said judgment shall not affect, impair or invalid the remainder of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to the legislative intent of this body that the Ordinance is severable, and that the Ordinance would have been adopted had such invalid or unconstitutional provisions not have been included in this ordinance. **SECTION 3. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES** All Ordinance or parts of Ordinance is conflict herewith is hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect. **SECTION 4. SAVINGS CLAUSE** All rights and duties which have matured penalties which have been incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this Ordinance are not affected or abated by this Ordinance. **SECTION 6. PUBLICATION** The Clerk for the Charter Township of Canton shall cause this Ordinance to be published in the manner required by law. **SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE** This Ordinance, as amended, shall take full force and effect upon publication as required by law. **CERTIFICATION** The foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton at its regular meeting called and held on the 11th day of August, 2015, and was ordered to be given publication in the manner required by law. Terry G. Bennett, Clerk Introduced: July 28, 2105 Adopted: August 11, 2015 Published: August 20, 2015 Effective: August 20, 2015 Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available at the Clerk's Office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI., 48188, during regular business hours. A complete copy of the Ordinances for Canton Township is available at www.canton-mi.org. **Item C-2. Consideration of Second Reading and Adoption of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 46, Article IV, Division 3, "Fireworks" to Prohibit Sky Lanterns in Canton Township.** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to remove from the table the first reading of an ordinance which amends the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 46, Article IV, Division 3, "Fireworks" to Prohibit Sky Lanterns in Canton Township. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to hold the second reading and amend the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 46, Article IV, Division 3, "Fireworks" to Prohibit Sky Lanterns in Canton Township with a publication and effective date of August 20, 2015. Motion carried unanimously. **STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CHAPTER 46 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 46 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, TO CLARIFY THAT SKY LANTERNS ARE NOT FIREWORKS AND TO PROHIBIT THEIR USE IN THE TOWNSHIP THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS: SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO CODE. Sec. 46-267. – Sky Lanterns Prohibited.** Sky Lanterns, also known as Chinese Lanterns and/or Kongming Lanterns, or other similar devices, are not classified as "fireworks" and are therefore not regulated by the State Fireworks Safety Act. In the interest of public safety, the sale, storage, or use of Sky Lanterns, Chinese Lanterns and/or Kongming Lanterns or any similar device within the Township is prohibited. **Sec. 46-268. – Transportation and storage.** Transportation and storage of fireworks through and in the township shall be in accordance with the requirements set forth in Act 256. **Sec. 46-269. – Penalty.** A violation of section 46-263 and/or section 46-265 is a municipal civil infraction, punishable by a civil fine not to exceed $500.00 in accordance with MCL §28.457. **SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY** If any clause, sentence, section, paragraph or part of this Ordinance, or the application of thereof to any person, firm, corporation, legal entity or circumstances, shall be for any reason adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, said judgment shall not affect, impair or invalid the remainder of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to the legislative intent of this body that the Ordinance is severable, and that the Ordinance would have been adopted had such invalid or unconstitutional provisions not have been included in this ordinance. **SECTION 3. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES** All Ordinance or parts of Ordinance is conflict herewith is hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect. **SECTION 4. SAVINGS CLAUSE** All rights and duties which have matured penalties which have been incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this Ordinance are not affected or abated by this Ordinance. **SECTION 6. PUBLICATION** The Clerk for the Charter Township of Canton shall cause this Ordinance to be published in the manner required by law. **SECTION 7. 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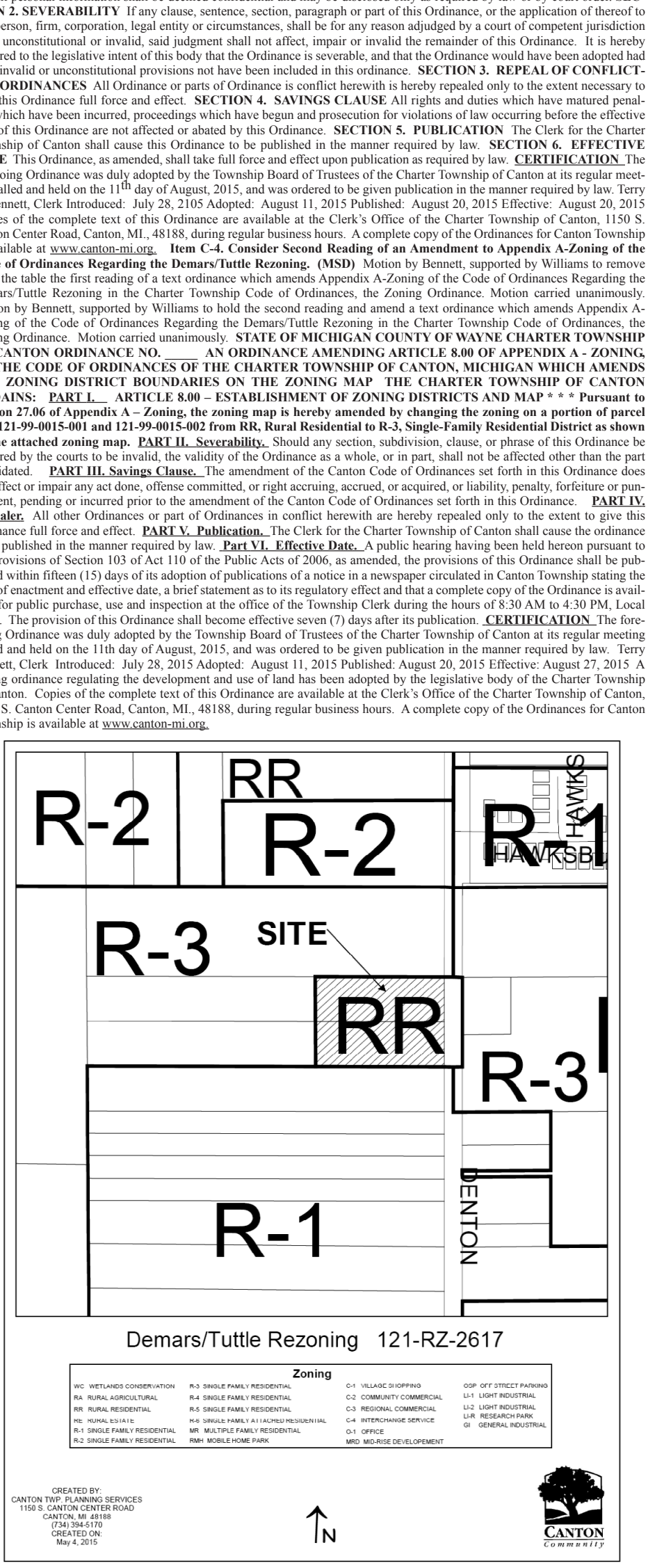
Consideration of Second Reading and Adoption of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 18, Article IV, "Sexually Oriented Businesses, and Article Vii, "Smoking Lounges," to Require Applicants for These Business Licenses to Obtain and Submit a Copy of Their Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") Reports With Their License Applications.** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to remove from the table the first reading of an ordinance which amends the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 18, Article IV, "Sexually Oriented Businesses, and Article Vii, "Smoking Lounges," to Require Applicants for These Business Licenses to Obtain and Submit a Copy of Their Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") Reports With Their License Applications. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to hold the second reading and amend the Township Code of Ordinance, Chapter 18, Article IV, "Sexually Oriented Businesses, and Article Vii, "Smoking Lounges," to Require Applicants for These Business Licenses to Obtain and Submit a Copy of Their Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") Reports With Their License Applications with a publication and effective date of August 20, 2015. Motion carried unanimously. **STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CHAPTER 18 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 46 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, TO CLARIFY THAT AN APPLICANT FOR EITHER A SEXUALLY ORIENTED BUSINESS LICENSE OR SMOKING LOUNGE LICENSE MUST PROVIDE A COPY OF THEIR INTERNET CRIMINAL HISTORY ACCESS TOOL AS PART OF THEIR BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATION THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS: SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO CODE. Article IV. – Sexually Oriented Businesses Division 2. – Licenses Sec. 18-172. – Application** An application for a license under this division must be made on a form provided by the township and submitted to the township clerk. All applicants must be qualified according to the provisions of this article. The application may request and the applicant shall provide such information as to enable the township to determine whether the applicant meets the qualifications established in this article. If a person who wishes to operate a sexually oriented business is an individual, the person must sign the application for a license as applicant. If a person who wishes to operate a sexually oriented business is other than an individual, each individual who has a 20 percent or greater interest in the business must sign the application for a license as applicant. Each applicant must be qualified under section 18-173and each applicant shall be considered a licensee if a license is granted. The completed application for a sexually oriented business license shall contain the following information and shall be accompanied by the following documents: (1) If the applicant is: a. An individual, the individual shall state his legal name and any aliases and submit proof that he is 18 years of age. b. A partnership, the partnership shall state its complete name and the names of all partners, whether the partnership is general or limited, and a copy of the partnership agreement, if any. c. A corporation, the corporation shall state its complete name, the date of its incorporation, evidence that the corporation is in good standing under the laws of its state of incorporation, the names and capacity of all officers, directors and principal stockholders, and the name of the registered corporate agent and the address of the registered office for service of process. (2) If the applicant intends to operate the sexually oriented business under a name other than that of the applicant, he must state the sexually oriented business's fictitious name and submit the required registration documents. (3) The application shall state whether the applicant, or a person residing with the applicant, has been convicted of a specified criminal activity as defined in this article and, if so, the specified criminal activity involved, and the date, place and jurisdiction of each. The Applicant shall obtain and submit an Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") with the other required application materials. ICHATS are available online at www.michigan.gov/msp. (4) The application shall state whether the applicant, or a person residing with the applicant, has had a previous license under this article or other similar sexually oriented business ordinances from another municipality or county denied, suspended or revoked, including the name and location of the sexually oriented business for which the permit was denied, suspended or revoked, as well as the date of the denial, suspension or revocation, and whether the applicant or a person residing with the applicant has been a partner in a partnership or an officer, director or principal stockholder of a corporation that is licensed under this article whose license has previously been denied, suspended or revoked, including the name and location of the sexually oriented business for which the permit was denied, suspended or revoked as well as the date of denial, suspension or revocation. (5) The application shall state whether the applicant, or a person residing with the applicant, holds any other licenses under this article or other similar sexually oriented business ordinances from another municipality or county and, if so, the names and locations of such other licensed businesses. (6) The application shall state the single classification of license for which the applicant is filing. (7) The application shall state the location of the proposed sexually oriented business, including a legal description of the property, street address, and telephone number, if any. (8) The application shall state the applicant's mailing address and residential address. (9) A recent photograph of the applicant shall be included. (10) The applicant's driver's license number, social security number, and/or state or federally issued tax identification number shall be included. (11) A sketch or diagram showing the configuration of the premises, including a statement of total floorspace occupied by the business, shall be included. The sketch or diagram need not be professionally prepared, but it must be drawn to a designated scale or drawn with marked dimensions of the interior of the premises to an accuracy of plus or minus six inches. (12) The application shall include a current certificate and straight-line drawing prepared within 30 days prior to application by a registered land surveyor depicting the property lines and the structures containing any existing sexually oriented businesses within 1,000 feet of the property to be certified, and the property lines of any established religious institution/synagogue, school, or public park or recreation area within 1,000 feet of the property to be certified. For purposes of this subsection, a use shall be considered existing or established if it is in existence at the time an application is submitted. (13) If an applicant wishes to operate a sexually oriented business, other than an adult motel, which shall exhibit on the premises, in a viewing room or booth of less than 150 square feet of floorspace, films, videocassettes, other video reproductions, or live entertainment, which depicts specified sexually activities or specified anatomical areas, then the applicant shall comply with the application requirements set forth in section 18-146. (e) Before any application may be issued a sexually oriented business employee license, the applicant shall submit on a form to be provided by the township the following information: (1) The applicant's name or any other name (including "stage" names) or aliases used by the individual; (2) Age, date, and place of birth; (3) Height, weight, and hair and eye color; (4) Present residence address and telephone number; (5) Present business and address and telephone number; (6) Date, issuing state and number of driver's permit or other identification card information; (7) Social security number; and (8) Proof that the individual is at least 18 years of age. (f) Attached to the application form for a sexually oriented business employee license as provided in subsection (e) of this section shall be the following: (1) A color photograph of the applicant clearly showing the applicant's face. Any fees for the photograph shall be paid by the applicant. (2) A statement detailing the license history of the applicant for the five years immediately preceding the date of the filing of the application, including whether such applicant previously operated or is seeking to operate a sexually oriented business, in this or any other county, municipality, state or county, has ever had a license, permit, or authorization to do business denied, revoked, or suspended, or had any professional or vocational license or permit denied, revoked, or suspended. In the event of any such denial, revocation, or suspension, the application shall state the name, and the name of the issuing or denying jurisdiction, and describe in full the reason for the denial, revocation or suspension. A copy of any order of denial, revocation, or suspension shall be attached to the application. (3) A statement as to whether the applicant has been convicted of a specified criminal activity as defined in this article and, if so, the specified criminal activity involved, and the date, place and jurisdiction of each. The Applicant shall obtain and submit an Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") with the other required application materials. ICHATS are available online at www.michigan.gov/msp. *** * * ARTICLE VII. – SMOKING LOUNGES DIVISION 2. – LICENSE * * * Sec. 18-502. - Application.** (a) *Information required.* An applicant for a smoking lounge license shall annually file in person at the office of the township clerk, a completed application made on a form provided by the clerk. The application shall be signed as required herein and shall be notarized. An application shall be considered complete when it contains, for each person required to sign the application, the information and/or items required in paragraphs (1) through (9) below, accompanied by the required fee. (1) The applicant's full legal name and any other names used by the applicant in the preceding seven years. If the applicant is a partnership, corporation, limited liability company, or other legal entity, then all persons with an influential interest in the entity shall be deemed an applicant and shall provide the information required by this article. Each applicant must be qualified under section 18-503, and each applicant shall be considered a licensee if a license is granted. (2) Current business address or another mailing address of the applicant. (3) Written proof of identity, in the form of a driver's license or a copy of a birth certificate accompanied by a picture identification document issued by a governmental agency. (4) The proposed business name, location, parcel identification number, mailing address and phone number. (5) A copy of the state issued exemption certificate for the premises; or if a transfer has been applied for, a copy of the application filed with the state. (6) The name and business address of the designated local agent who is responsible to supervise the premises and activities and who is authorized to receive service of process. (7) A statement of whether any applicant has been convicted of or has pled guilty or nolo contendere to a disqualifying criminal act as defined in this article, and if so, specify each criminal act involved, including the date, place, and jurisdiction of each, as well as, the dates of conviction and release from confinement, where applicable. The Applicant shall obtain and submit an Internet Criminal History Access Tool ("ICHAT") with the other required application materials. ICHATS are available online at www.michigan.gov/msp. (8) A statement as to whether any applicant has ever had a license revoked under the penalty provisions of the Michigan Liquor Control Code, PA 58 of 1998, as amended. (9) A statement as to whether any business in which an applicant has had an influential interest, has, in the previous seven years, and at the time during which the applicant had the influential interest: a. Been declared by a court of law to be a nuisance, as defined under the Revised Judicature Act, MCL 600.3801; or b. Been subject to a court order of closure or padlocking. (10) Statement of nature of proposed operation. The information provided pursuant to paragraphs (1) through (10) of this subsection shall be supplemented in writing by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the township clerk within ten working days of a change of circumstances which would render the information originally submitted false or incomplete. (b) *Signature required.* If a person who wishes to operate the business is an individual, the person shall sign the application. If a person who wishes to operate a business is other than an individual, each person with an influential interest in the business shall sign the application for a license as applicant. (c) *Disclosure.* The information provided by an applicant in connection with an application for a license under this article shall be maintained by the township clerk's office and all personal information shall be deemed confidential and may be disclosed only as required by law or by court order. **SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY** If any clause, sentence, section, paragraph or part of this Ordinance, or the application of thereof to any person, firm, corporation, legal entity or circumstances, shall be for any reason adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, said judgment shall not affect, impair or invalid the remainder of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to the legislative intent of this body that the Ordinance is severable, and that the Ordinance would have been adopted had such invalid or unconstitutional provisions not have been included in this ordinance. **SECTION 3. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES** All Ordinance or parts of Ordinance is conflict herewith is hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect. **SECTION 4. SAVINGS CLAUSE** All rights and duties which have matured penalties which have been incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this Ordinance are not affected or abated by this Ordinance. **SECTION 5. PUBLICATION** The Clerk for the Charter Township of Canton shall cause this Ordinance to be published in the manner required by law. **SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE** This Ordinance, as amended, shall take full force and effect upon publication as required by law. **CERTIFICATION** The foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton at its regular meeting called and held on the 11th day of August, 2015, and was ordered to be given publication in the manner required by law. Terry G. Bennett, Clerk Introduced: July 28, 2105 Adopted: August 11, 2015 Published: August 20, 2015 Effective: August 20, 2015 Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available at the Clerk's Office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI., 48188, during regular business hours. A complete copy of the Ordinances for Canton Township is available at www.canton-mi.org. **Item C-4. Consider Second Reading of an Amendment to Appendix A-Zoning of the Code of Ordinances Regarding the Demars/Tuttle Rezoning. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to remove from the table the first reading of a text ordinance which amends Appendix A-Zoning of the Code of Ordinances Regarding the Demars/Tuttle Rezoning in the Charter Township Code of Ordinances, the Zoning Ordinance. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to hold the second reading and amend a text ordinance which amends Appendix A-Zoning of the Code of Ordinances Regarding the Demars/Tuttle Rezoning in the Charter Township Code of Ordinances, the Zoning Ordinance. Motion carried unanimously. **STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDINANCE NO. ____ AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE 8.00 OF APPENDIX A - ZONING, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, MICHIGAN WHICH AMENDS THE ZONING DISTRICT BOUNDARIES ON THE ZONING MAP THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS: PART I. ARTICLE 8.00 – ESTABLISHMENT OF ZONING DISTRICTS AND MAP * * * Pursuant to Section 27.06 of Appendix A – Zoning, the zoning map is hereby amended by changing the zoning on a portion of parcel nos. 121-99-0015-001 and 121-99-0015-002 from RR, Rural Residential to R-3, Single-Family Residential District as shown on the attached zoning map. PART II. Severability.** Should any section, subdivision, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the validity of the Ordinance as a whole, or in part, shall not be affected other than the part invalidated. **PART III. Savings Clause.** The amendment of the Canton Code of Ordinances set forth in this Ordinance does not affect or impair any act done, offense committed, or right accruing, accrued, or acquired, or liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment, pending or incurred prior to the amendment of the Canton Code of Ordinances set forth in this Ordinance. **PART IV. Repealer.** All other Ordinances or part of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed only to the extent to give this Ordinance full force and effect. **PART V. Publication.** The Clerk for the Charter Township of Canton shall cause the ordinance to be published in the manner required by law. **Part VI. Effective Date.** A public hearing having been held hereon pursuant to the provisions of Section 103 of Act 110 of the Public Acts of 2006, as amended, the provisions of this Ordinance shall be published within fifteen (15) days of its adoption of publications of a notice in a newspaper circulated in Canton Township stating the date of enactment and effective date, a brief statement as to its regulatory effect and that a complete copy of the Ordinance is available for public purchase, use and inspection at the office of the Township Clerk during the hours of 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Local Time. The provision of this Ordinance shall become effective seven (7) days after its publication. **CERTIFICATION** The foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton at its regular meeting called and held on the 11th day of August, 2015, and was ordered to be given publication in the manner required by law. Terry Bennett, Clerk Introduced: July 28, 2015 Adopted: August 11, 2015 Published: August 20, 2015 Effective: August 27, 2015 A zoning ordinance regulating the development and use of land has been adopted by the legislative body of the Charter Township of Canton. Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available at the Clerk's Office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI., 48188, during regular business hours. A complete copy of the Ordinances for Canton Township is available at www.canton-mi.org.



Item C-5. Authorize Acceptance of a Grant from the Alliance of Rouge Communities for Restoring Tree Canopy in the Rouge River Area of Concern (MSD) Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to accept the Restoring Tree Canopy in the Rouge River Watershed AOC Grant from the US Forest Service and coordinated by the Alliance of Rouge Communities in the amount of $7,250 and authorize the Township Supervisor to sign the grant agreement on behalf of Canton. Motion carried unanimously. **Item C-6. Consider Approval of Heritage Park ADA Pathway Improvements and Budget Amendment (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to award the bid for Heritage Park ADA Pathway Improvements to Heaney General Contracting, Inc., 7560 Carpenter Road, Ypsilanti, MI 48197 for a total amount of $105,269 from Account # 274-666.849 CDBG ADA Improvements. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the following budget amendment to the Community Development Block Grant Fund: Increase Expense 274-666.849 ADA Improvements $80,000; Increase Revenue 274-000.501 Federal Grants $80,000. Motion carried unanimously. **Item C-7. Request to Increase Blanket Purchase Order for Legal Services (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve increasing the blanket purchase order #1369 for the law firm of Kerr, Russell & Weber PLC, 500 Woodward Ave, Suite 2500, Detroit, Michigan in an amount of $10,000. Funds are available in account number 101.266.801_0020. Motion carried unanimously. **GENERAL CALENDAR: Item G-1. Consider Approval of the Final Site Plan for The Manors at Hamlet Site Condominium. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt the following resolution. Motion carried unanimously. RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON **Final Site Plan for The Manors at Hamlet Site Condominium WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor, Pinnacle Homes, has requested final site plan approval for The Manors at Hamlet Site Condominium to be located south of Proctor Road and west of Denton Road on parcels nos. 076-99-0007-708, 076-99-0006-702, and 117-99- 0003-702; and, **WHEREAS,** the Planning Commission reviewed the site plan and made a recommendation to approve the request to grant site final plan approval, as summarized in the attached written analysis and recommendation. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby approve the request of the petitioner to approve the site plan for the proposed The Manors at Hamlet Site Condominium subject to any and all state and local development regulations and further subject to any conditions recommended by the Planning Commission and staff, as described in the analysis and recommendation attached hereto and made a part hereof. **Item G-2. Consider Final Preliminary Plat for Sheldon Estates Subdivision. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt the following resolution. Motion carried unanimously. RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON **Sheldon Estates Final Preliminary Plat WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor, Mr. Evan Priest, has requested final approval of the preliminary plat for Sheldon Estates to be located on Sheldon Road between Cherry Hill and Palmer Roads, identified as tax EDP # 085-99-005-701; and, **WHEREAS,** the Planning and Engineering Officials have reviewed the final preliminary plat and made a recommendation to approve the request to grant final approval of preliminary plat, as summarized in the attached written analysis and recommendation. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby approve the request of the petitioner, Mr. Evan Priest, to grant final approval of the preliminary plat for the proposed Sheldon Estates Subdivision subject to any and all state and local development regulations and further subject to any conditions recommended by the Planning and Engineering Officials, as described in the analysis and recommendation attached hereto and made a part hereof. **Item G-3. Consider an Award of Contract for Professional Engineering Services to Northwest Consultants, Inc. for the Wayne County Township Roads Initiative (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to approve a contract with Northwest Consultants, Inc. in the amount of $158,512.50 plus a 5% contingency of $7,925.63 for a total award of $166,438.13 for the Wayne County Townships Residential Road Initiative and create a purchase order in this amount from the construction escrow account. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-4. Consider Approval of a Purchase Order for Hardware Required for the Construction of a Fiber Optic Wide Area Network. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to approve a purchase order to CDW-G for the required hardware for the fiber optic network project in an amount not-to-exceed $37,889.40 based on the State of Michigan contract pricing. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-5. Consider Approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Wastewater Disposal Agreement with American Waste Technologies. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve Amendment No. 1 to the 2007 wastewater disposal agreement with American Waste Technologies; and further authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to sign the agreement on behalf of Canton Township. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-6. Consider Approval to Distribute Proposed Amendments to the Comprehensive Plan for Review and Comments. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to authorize distribution of the proposed amendments to the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan for property located on the southeast corner of Geddes Road and Denton Road, and the property located on the south side of Warren Road, west of Ridge Road. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-7. Consider Award of a Purchase Order Contract for Audio Visual Equipment Replacement in the Public Works Training Room. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to award a purchase order contract with Provideo Services of Perrysburg, Ohio for the purchase and installation of upgraded audio visual equipment at the Public Works facility for an amount not-to-exceed $20,255. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-8. Consider Approval to Purchase Equipment for the Village Theater Audio Project and Approve Budget Amendment. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to award the bid for equipment for the Village Theater audio project to Parkway Electric in the amount of $109,984.09 to be taken from Account # 230-250.970_0010 ($54,992.04) and Account # 101-760-50.930_0030 ($54,992.05). Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the following budget amendments: Increase Revenues: 101-760-50.539 VT State Grant $54,993 230-000.695 Fund Balance Appropriation $54,993 Increase Expenses: 101-760-50.930_0030 VT Capital $54,993 230-250.970_0010 Capital Outlay Computers & EQ $54,993 Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-9. Consider Approval of Emergency Purchase Order for Field Restoration at Heritage Park. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to approve the purchase order to Stante Excavating, 46912 Liberty Drive, Wixom, MI 48393 for emergency field restoration at Heritage Park in the amount of $21,667.77 to be paid from Account # 101-270-50.930_0070, Maintenance & Repair Grounds. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-10. Consider Awarding Bid**

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NORTHVILLE - WAYNE - WESTLAND

Northville to appoint new school board trustee

Northville Board of Education Vice President Scott Craig will step down Sept. 1 as he is moving to Southfield.

The serving members of the board will now appoint a trustee to complete the remaining 16-months on Craig's term within 30 days of the effective date of the resignation or vacancy.

The appointee will serve through Dec. 31, 2016, and may choose to run for election to the four-year term beginning in January 2017, in the next regular school board election on Nov. 8, 2016.

Northville school district residents interested in serving the 16-month term are asked to complete the Board of Education Appointment Application, which will is available at www.northvilleschools.org.

The deadline for applications is noon on Wednesday, Sept. 2. Board of Education members will interview candidates at a public meeting(s) to be scheduled between Tuesday, Sept. 8, and Tuesday, Sept. 15, with the individual expected to take his or her seat on the board on Tuesday, Sept. 29. Specific dates, times and locations for candidate interviews, which are open to the public, will be announced as soon as they are available, a district spokesperson said.

"Scott has served as an advocate for public education in his role as a board member for nearly four years," said Northville Superintendent of Schools Mary Kay Gallagher. "We appreciate Scott's input into board decisions and the perspective he brings as an educator, and wish him well in his future endeavors."

"We appreciate Scott's service to the children and families of Northville Public Schools, and recognize the impact he has had as a member of the board of education," said Board President Cyndy Jankowski. "We welcome applications from Northville school district residents interested in serving on the Northville Board of Education, and look forward, as a board, to working in partnership with district leaders, school families, staff and community members to serve the educational needs of all our students."

Elected to the Northville Board of Education in November 2011, Craig has served three terms as a trustee and 8 months as vice president. He also has been the board liaison for the Office of Instruction, the PTA Legislative Action Network, and the Wayne County Association of School Boards.

Michigan Avenue Kroger store in Wayne to close

The Kroger store on Michigan Avenue in Wayne will close at the end of the year to make way for the expansion of an adjacent business.

During a public hearing recently, Wayne Industries requested the city grant an Industrial Development District to facilitate expansion of their steel distribution center. Established in 1989, family-owned Wayne Industries/Steel Pro is a 600,000 square-foot steel distribution center. Steel/Pro is the largest integrated steel products warehouse in the United States.

Wayne Industries owns Wayne Commons, the 4.2 acre strip center where Kroger is currently located along with another parcel of about the same size at 36121 East Michigan Ave. Wayne Industries is currently located adjacent to Wayne Commons on the west side.

According to Paul Russo, president of Wayne Industries, Kroger notified his office that the store would close at the end of the year. He said that decision coincided with this first stage of expansion of Steel/Pro which has seen an increased demand for aluminum.

Members of the Wayne City Council approved the request for the establishment of the Industrial Development District, necessary for the application for a tax abatement. Steel/Pro, Wayne Industries, is expected to request a 50 percent tax abatement on the investment in the expanded facilities.

Primary transport of the aluminum and steel parts to manufacturers and to Steel Pro is accomplished by rail through the DSX and Norfolk Southern railroads, according to a company official.

Westland awarded federal grant to hire firefighters

Inkster and Westland have each been awarded federal funding to hire firefighters in their communities.

Westland will receive $2.3 million in federal funding to hire 13 new firefighters for 2 years. Inkster will receive $1.8 million in SAFER (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response) funding through the federal department of Homeland Security. Each community will receive funding for the 2 year term, after which the city can pay the firefighters' salaries or lay the men off.

In Westland, the 13 new firefighters will bring the staff to 67, which is "where it needs to be" according to officials. A union spokesman said that there is a hiring list with candidates in the city.

"I'd like to thank both Fire Chief Michael Reddy and Lisa Nocerini, the interim Wayne City Manager and management consultant), for traveling to Washington, D.C., with me to meet with our Michigan (Congressional) delegation to stress the importance of this grant to both Westland and the surrounding cities that we help every day with mutual aid," said Westland Mayor William Wild.

Wayne also applied for a SAFER grant to augment the 12 firefighter staff in the city. Wayne and Westland combined fire operations last year but each community funds a roster of firefighters independently. Currently, Wayne is paying overtime to firefighters to meet daily staffing requirements. Grant awards are still being announced by the Homeland Security office.

Distinguished women are sought

This year, both junior and senior titles in the Distinguished Young Women of Wayne-Westland will be awarded to high school students this year.

The scholarship program, previously called America's Junior Miss, will host an orientation meeting for those interested in participating in the pageant at 7 p.m. Sept. 21 at 37955 Glenwood in Wayne.

Rehearsal and program dates will be announced along with additional details regarding the pageant and scholarships. For more information regarding scoring, participation and the organization, visit www.distingushedyw.org. Registration for the national scholarship program is also available at the site.

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For Cable Franchise And Peg Fee Audit Services And Authorize Township Supervisor To Sign Agreement. (MSD) Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to award the bid for cable franchise and PEG fee audit services to Ashpaugh & Sculco, CPAs, PLC, and authorize the Township Supervisor to sign an engagement agreement on behalf of Canton Township. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the following budget amendment: Increase Revenue: 230-000.695 Fund Balance Appropriation $36,000 Increase Expenditures: 230-250.801_0050 Professional Services $36,000. Motion carried unanimously. **Item G-11. Consider Approval of a Revised Intergovernmental Agreement with Wayne County for the Local Partnering Initiative for Township Roads. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the revised intergovernmental agreement with Wayne County for the Local Partnering Initiative for Township Roads as provided in the model resolution and further authorize the Township Supervisor to sign the agreement on behalf of Canton Township. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by , Support by , that **Whereas,** the Canton Township believes quality roads are a vital part of any community, and **Whereas,** certain improvements are necessary to County Local Roads to increase traffic safety, and **Whereas,** the County of Wayne has committed to Canton Township to assist financially during FY 14-15 and FY 15-16 in the improvements to local roads within the township limits, and **Whereas,** Wayne County will provide payment to the Canton Township up to 80% or the capped amount of $ 1,500,000 per year as the COUNTY's participation of the total Project Costs; and **Whereas,** upon execution of this Agreement by the COUNTY**,** the COUNTY will provide a Working Capital Advance to the TOWNSHIP in the amount of $375,000 as twenty five percent (25%) of the COUNTY's participation of the FY 14-15 total Project Cost; and **Now, therefore be it resolved,** that the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees does hereby approve the proposed Agreement between Canton Township and County of Wayne for the improvements of Local County Roads within the Township and **Be it further resolved,** that the Supervisor is authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of the Charter Township of Canton YEAS: 7 NAYS: 0 ABSENT: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, County of Wayne, Michigan, at a meeting held on August 11, 2015. Terry G. Bennett, Clerk **Item G-12. Accept State of Michigan, Michigan Department of State, Help America Vote Act Section 261 Financial Assistance Grant for the Purchase of 42 ADA Access Voting Booths for the Charter Township of Canton. (Clerk)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the acceptance of the State of Michigan grant, Help America Vote Act, Section 261 Financial Assistance Voting Access Grant for 42 Boolee ADA compliant voting booths from Election Source, 4615 Danvers Dr. SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49512 in the amount of $7,986.96 from account number 101-191.970_0030 Capital Outlay, Machinery and Equipment. Motion carried unanimously. **ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT:** None **OTHER:** Director Bilbrey-Honsowetz commented the summer concert series is wrapping up this month, so please enjoy the last few of the year. Also, the Canton Lions Club is having its annual Corn Roast on August 22, 2015. The Michigan Shakespeare Festival is at the Village Theater until August 16, 2015. The Summit Annual Maintenance Shut-Down will be from noon on September 7th to 6:00 a.m. on September 12th, with the exception of the Aquatics Center and the surrounding areas which will be closed until 7:00 a.m. on October 11th some major renovations. The Beer, Brats, and Bands at the Barn in Preservation Park put on by the Canton Historical Society is on Saturday, September 12th. **ADJOURN:** Motion by Anthony, supported by Bennett to adjourn at 7:53 p.m. Motion carried unanimously. _____ **Terry G. Bennett, Clerk**

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA
SEPTEMBER 10, 2015

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2015 at 7:00 PM**. The meeting will be held in the Board Room at the Township Administration Building located at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188.

7:00 P.M.

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Jim Cisek, Craig Engel, Alan Okon, Julia Perkins, Cathryn Rudolph and Vicki Welty. **Alternate:** Gregory Demopoulos

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes: JULY 9th, 2015 Minutes

General Calendar:

Metro Detroit Signs, Applicant and Project Representative, Kevin Deters for the property at 39477 Joy Road, Canton, MI 48187 located on the south side of Joy Road between Eckles Road and Tavistock Dr., appealing Section 6A.25 Legibility and Design and 6A.17 Wall Sign Size, C-2 Zoning District. Parcel 001-99-0001-704 (Building)

Written comments need to be submitted prior to 4:00 PM on the date of the hearing. All written comments must be sent to the Charter Township of Canton, Clerk's Office, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd., Canton, MI 48188, Phone 734-394-5120.

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OFFICE OF THE WAYNE COUNTY DRAIN COMMISSIONER

NOTICE OF DAY OF REVIEW OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES AND REVIEW OF APPORTIONMENTS

Notice Is Hereby Given that on September 2, 2015, the Wayne County Drain Commissioner will hold a Day of Review of Drainage District Boundaries and a Day of Review of Apportionments from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Wayne County Department of Public Services - Road Division, Central Maintenance Yard, 29900 Goddard Road Extension, Romulus, Michigan 48242.

The Day of Review is for the purpose of reviewing and revising the boundaries of the Drainage Districts below. Maps depicting the proposed revisions to the boundaries of each Drainage District can be reviewed at: www.waynecounty.com/doe.

The Day of Review of Drainage District Boundaries is an opportunity to review the Drainage District boundaries with the Drain Commissioner or a member of his staff. The Drain Commissioner, engineers and other staff members will be available to assist individuals throughout the day, and make revisions where necessary. There is no need to schedule an appointment for a specific time on the Day of Review. The computation of costs for the Drain will also be available at the Day of Review.

The Day of Review of Apportionments is an opportunity to review the apportionment with the Drain Commissioner or a member of his staff. The Drain Commissioner and other staff members will be available to assist individuals throughout the day, and make revisions where necessary. There is no need to schedule an appointment for a specific time on the Day of Review. The computation of costs for the Drains will also be available at the Day of Review.

Drain assessments will be collected in the same manner as property taxes. If the assessment period is greater than one year, you may pay the assessments in full with any interest to date at any time and thereby avoid further interest charges.

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the Day of Review should contact the Wayne County Drain Commissioner's Office at (313) 749-8340 or through the Michigan Relay Center at 7-1-1 (TDD) at least 24 hours in advance of the Day of Review to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

You may appeal the Drain Commissioner's decision to revise the district boundary to the Wayne County Circuit Court within ten (10) days. You may appeal the Drain Commissioner's determination of apportionments to the Wayne County Probate Court within ten (10) days.

A general description of the lands by section number proposed to be added or deleted from the Drainage Districts as recommended by a licensed professional engineer or surveyor for each of the Drains is as follows:

Drain Name	Municipalities	Portions of Sections Added	Portions of Sections Removed
Ayers Drain	Van Buren Township	05, 06	05, 06
Fellows Creek Drain	Plymouth Township	29, 30, 31, 32	29, 30, 31, 32
	Canton Township	04, 05, 07, 09, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27	04, 05, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27
	City of Westland	19, 30	
Goodell Drain	Canton Township	19, 20, 29, 30	19, 20, 29, 30

Kenneth M. Kucel, P.E.
Wayne County Drain Commissioner
Telephone (313) 749-8340

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Inkster - Belleville - Romulus

Board refuses discussion of staff 'exit interviews'

A question regarding possible exit interviews with employees leaving the district remains unanswered by members of the Van Buren Public Schools Board of Education.

The question came from Barbara Rogalle Miller who followed the regular procedures for questions to the board toward the end of the recent meeting.

Board president Brent Mikulski answered Miller's question with an assurance that Superintendent of Schools Michael Van Tassel and the administration staff would prepare a report which would be available to the staff and to the public. He added that a culture and climate survey of employees was planned for October.

That information appeared to surprise board member Sherry Frazier who said she was unaware that a decision regarding such a survey had been made.

Van Tassel confirmed that the survey was planned for October and would include parents and members of the administration. He characterized the survey as "exactly what is needed."

Miller asked when the board members had approved such a survey as she had attended most recent meetings and could not recall this issue being approved. She asked if there was a cost or expense for the survey.

Mikulski said the survey was approved in emails among board members and Martha Toth, the vice president of the board, said the expense would be paid from accounts payable.

Miller, however, asked for clarification noting that she had not asked about a survey, but about exit interviews.

Miller said morale among the teaching staff is low and there is an abnormally low retention rate of staff. She said she felt exit interviews should be discussed publicly by the board members

Board members did not reply to her request although Frazier offered a motion adding the question of exit interviews to the next meeting agenda for discussion.

"Ms. Miller represents a good portion of the 79 percent of people who do not have children in the schools," she said, noting that these people are also voters.

"We need to address exit interviews," Frazier said. "We need to not sweep it under the rug, but discuss it openly. Professional exit interviews can be very beneficial to the organization that uses them."

Toth responded during some heated discussion that Frazier would not get a second to her motion to put exit interviews on the agenda

Miller asked Toth if she was speaking for the entire board in denying support for a discussion of exit interviews as the other board members offered criticism of Frazier's attempts to put the issue on the agenda.

"It's not going to go away until we address it," Frazier said.

Romulus educator is named science teacher of 2015

The Family and Consumer Science Educators of Michigan have selected Romulus High School educator Lisa Willerick as their 2015 teacher of the year.

Willerick has been teaching full-time at Romulus High School for 10 years. She currently teaches Child Development, Family Living, Life Management, Nutrition and Foods, in addition to Parenting. Her work in the classroom is designed to prepare her students to be productive adults that contribute to society, she said. She is a member of the Healthy Living Advisory Committee and School Improvement team at Romulus High School and has served as a teacher leader and a mentor teacher as well as the student government advisor. Willerick is also an accomplished Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) advisor with several years of students competing and winning medals at the state and national leadership conferences. She currently advises two FCCLA state officers who are highly involved in the community. In addition to teaching at Romulus High, Willerick serves as an Adjunct Assistant Professor at Madonna University teaching Personal Development and Career Planning and consulting for the Family Consumer Sciences (FCS) teacher education program.

In addition to teaching and advising, Willerick has represented FCS in other capacities as a speaker at the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences annual conference and as a board member for Family and Consumer Sciences Educators of Michigan and FCCLA. Additional professional memberships include the American Educational Research Association and the American Society for Public Administration. Willerick is currently a doctoral candidate at the University of Michigan Dearborn and is expected to graduate in August of 2016 with a doctoral degree in Education. Her educational background includes a bachelors in secondary education Western Michigan University and a masters degree in Public Administration from Central Michigan University.

"Lisa Willerick is truly an enthusiastic and excellent example of what the teaching profession strives for each and every day," school officials said.

Romulus High School Principal Flinnoia Hall, left, and Romulus Community Schools Superintendent Marjie McAnally, right, congratulate Teacher of the Year winner Lisa Willerick, an educator at Romulus High School.

Inkster man faces charges in death of woman in crash

David Burnham, 34, of Inkster has been charged in the death of a 37-year-old Onstead woman.

Burnham faces charges of operating while intoxicated causing death and one count of operating while intoxicated. He was arraigned on the charges on Aug. 7.

The incident took place on Michigan Avenue near Textile Road in Pittsfield Township at about 1:53 a.m. June 13. Investigators said that Chastity Dawn Calhoun was a passenger in the back seat of the car being driven by Burnham heading west on Michigan Avenue when the car crossed the center line and struck a vehicle headed east. Calhoun was ejected from the vehicle upon impact, police said. She was apparently not wearing a seatbelt at the time of the crash. The occupants of the eastbound vehicle, 16 and 17-year-old boys from Dearborn and Burnham were transported by EMS services to a nearby hospital with non-life threatening injuries, police said.

Burnham posted a $400 bond, or 10 percent of $4,000, set by Magistrate Thomas Truesdell and is awaiting his preliminary examination set for Aug. 25.

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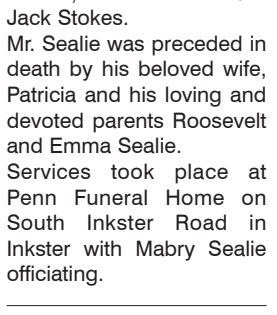

Gerald Roosevelt Sealie
Sunrise: Feb. 12, 1949
Sunset: Aug. 11, 2015

Gerald Roosevelt Sealie died Aug. 11, 2015.
Mr. Sealie attended Inkster Public Schools and worked at Ford Motor Co. and as a dental lab technician for a local dentist.
Among his survivors are his daughters, LaMona (William) Arrington; his son, Gerald R. Sealie, Jr.; three grandchildren, Donnell, Danielle and Darius; four loving stepchildren; siblings, Gwen Evans, Mabry (Priscella) Selie, Michael (Veronica) Sealie, Melvin (Marilyn) Sealie, Paulette (Darhel) Godston and Juanita (Eric) Winston; a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, friends and a special aunt, Rachel Cistrunk, and two special friends, Pete Johnson and Jack Stokes.
Mr. Sealie was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Patricia and his loving and devoted parents Roosevelt and Emma Sealie.
Services took place at Penn Funeral Home on South Inkster Road in Inkster with Mabry Sealie officiating.

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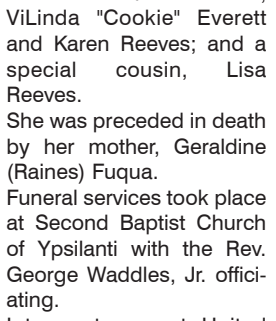

Dawn Maria Fuqua
Sunrise: Aug. 7, 1964
Sunset: Aug. 11, 2015

Dawn Maria Fuqua died Aug. 11, 2015.
Ms. Fuqua attended Inkster schools and graduated from Ypsilanti High School. She worked at Wayne County General Hospital and attended Detroit Business School where she earned her bachelor of arts degree. She worked at Gale Research Co. and the American Automobile Association.
Among those survivors left to cherish her memory are her loving father, Harry Fuqua; a brother and sister-n-law, Harry LaMon and Cassandra Fuqua; her nephew, Marcus LaMon; her godfather, Donald Reeves; a host of aunts, uncles, other relatives; devoted caregivers and friends Erica M. Addison, ViLinda "Cookie" Everett and Karen Reeves; and a special cousin, Lisa Reeves.
She was preceded in death by her mother, Geraldine (Raines) Fuqua.
Funeral services took place at Second Baptist Church of Ypsilanti with the Rev. George Waddles, Jr. officiating.
Interment was at United Memorial Gardens in Plymouth.
Final arrangements were entrusted to the Penn Funeral Home on Inkster Road in Inkster.

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CANTON - PLYMOUTH

Summit open house celebrates mascot's birthday

Canton Leisure Services is helping families begin fall and the back-to-school season with an open house from 5-7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 26 at Summit on the Park recreation center, located at 46000 Summit Parkway.

Bartlett T. Beaver will be celebrating his 2nd birthday with games, treats, and activities during the open house. The first 50 children in attendance will get to decorate a birthday cupcake and make a free craft and the first 75 children to arrive at the party will also will receive a back-to-school goodie bag.

Bartlett the Beaver will also be challenging young visitors to match him in fitness and he will participate in a crazy new Mascot Race at 6 p.m. Families can also stick around for free community open swimming time and a Summer Beach Bash from 7-9 p.m. at the Summit Aquatic Center, where the first 100 participants to enter the Aquatic Center will receive a free Summit Swim School beach ball and swim lesson registration coupon.

Information regarding upcoming Canton Leisure Services fall classes, programs and events will also be available along with special offers and discounts.

"This event offers a perfect opportunity for anyone interested in a Canton Leisure Services program or activity to come and see what we have to offer, ask questions and meet many of the leisure services staff," said Jennifer Provenzano, recreation coordinator. "Join us for some family-friendly fun as you explore the variety of opportunities we have available for classes and programs for all ages this fall and winter."

In addition to the opportunity to meet instructors and register for programs, families and individuals can take advantage of a variety of deals just by stopping by the Open House, including: special back-to-school membership pricing. New Summit on the Park members whot register between Aug. 16 - Sept. 6 will have their one-time application fee waived (a $30 value); Discounted early-bird registration pricing on fall recreation programs and classes; entry into drawings for Family Prize packs, including family passes to upcoming Canton events, like the Trick-or-Treat Parade, Annual Tree Lighting, Santa Breakfast and Butterfly Ball; Health and wellness information regarding Pathway to a Healthier Michigan Grant opportunities and face painting, a bounce house provided by Awesome Bounce and light refreshments.

Bartlett the Beaver will celebrate his birthday with a party during the Canton Leisure Services Open House Aug. 26.

For more information, call (734) 394-5460 or visit www.cantonfun.org.

'Dinner Anywhere In The World' raffle tickets on sale

Where would you like to go for dinner? Rome? Paris? Madrid?

The winner of a raffle sponsored by the Plymouth Kiwanis Foundation and the Kiwanis Club of Colonial Plymouth can make that a reality as the first prize is dinner for two at any restaurant in the world with round-trip flights and a two-night hotel stay included. Second prize is dinner for two at any restaurant in the U.S. while the third prize winner can choose any restaurant in Michigan, with a hotel stay included.

Tickets for the raffle are priced at $10 and only 5,000 will be sold for the drawing planned for Sept. 12 during the Kiwanis pancake breakfast at the Plymouth Fall Festival. Organizers said that 2,000 of the available tickets have already been sold. As an incentive, buyers will receive a free 11th ticket when buying 10.

Ticket sales are expected to generate $50,000 and the prizes are estimated to cost about $15,000, making this the largest fundraiser the group has planned. Winners will be allowed to take $7,500 in cash rather than the first prize, $2,000 in lieu of second prize and $750 rather than the third prize. Tickets are available from any Kiwanis member and at the Kiwanis popcorn wagon during the Friday night concerts in Kellogg Park. Among the organizations supported by the Plymouth Kiwanis Foundation are: Special Olympics, the First Step programs for victims of domestic abuse, Kids Against Hunger and the Aktion Club for adults with disabilities.

Park

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mouth of the stream. The silt had migrated to the area following the installation of a new drainpipe. She said with the revised plan, the storm water would run along and near a path that is close to the pond.

She added that answers to her questions about a proposed new amphitheater in the sub-watershed area were "evasive…they said that plans (for the amphitheater) were off the table."

Price said later that there is no plan to build the amphitheater right now. "We're going to do an open space and requirement plan and find out," he said.

Local environmentalists from Friends of the Rouge have been sampling the creek that flows through Plymouth Township Park since 2003, Petrella said. The environmental group is worried about the impact of the new construction on the pristine waters in the nearby creek and pond, especially after identifying a rare species of fish called the Least Darter.

"We currently know of no other location where this sensitive darter can be found in the watershed. All darters are sensitive to changes in water quality and habitat," she said.

In an email communication addressed to the MDEQ, to the attention of Yoon, Petrella said, "Changes to the land around this stream will impact water quality. Adding 4 acres of impervious surface will increase the amount of runoff into the Rouge and lead to increased temperature, sedimentation, nutrient enrichment and other pollutants.

"In a degraded system such as the Rouge, this creek is one of the remaining good quality areas. Not mitigating for this parking lot could be the tipping point that would lead to declining water quality and the loss of another good quality stream in the Rouge. The Rouge has so few good quality areas that remain. There are many techniques to mitigate the negative effects of impervious surfaces on creeks that could be easily incorporated. We would be happy to provide information about these techniques."

"We're working with the MDEQ and going to make some changes…We're trying to work with everybody to make them happy," Richmond said.

Felrath said that the township would work with the state regarding the problems.

"We're working to insure we're in accordance with their (MDEQ) requirements," he said. He would not comment on the impact or cost factors.

The attention of the state followed a one-day stop work order issued by Wayne County Land Resource Management Division two weeks ago. Officials from MDEQ Southeast Michigan Industrial and Storm Water unit initiated an investigation of the park waterways, demanding the township meet post-construction requirements for run-off water in work order as no soil erosion permit had been issued. The work order read, "You have been ordered to cease and desist all earth disturbing activity until such time as a SESC permit is obtained." Wayne County officials confirmed that the township allowed construction to begin in the sub-watershed area without seeking or obtaining the proper permits.

Within 48 hours, the contractor, Merlo Construction, resumed work at the parking lot, armed with an SESC permit that Price said was previously applied for but delayed because of a check the county failed to cash.

In what he described as a separate issue, Price said that concrete at the site "has to come out."

"The big middle section (of concrete) that was just poured has to come out. The ready mix company poured the wrong stuff…it's at no cost to us or Merlo, but it has to be replaced," he said.

Murder

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adult due to the evidence presented by investigators. Her parents have repeatedly maintained that she suffers Post Traumatic Stress and other mental trauma due to mistreatment prior to her adoption from a Polish orphanage 10 years ago and should be charged as a juvenile.

Callahan, in sentencing Rivera, cited the law which dictates that the sentence for conspiring to commit murder must be the same as if the act had been committed. Rivera will not be eligible for parole.

Rivera's attorney, Wright Blake, said that his client continues to maintain his innocence and that he was trying to help Sikorski. Rivera will be back in court next month charged with criminal sexual conduct for having sexual relations with a minor, charges filed when Sikorski ran away from home in July of 2014 to be with him.

Rivera showed no emotion at his sentencing, saying only, "I'm sorry for my family, for them having to go through this."

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Calendar of events

Coffee hour is set

State Rep. Kurt Heise will host a coffee hour for constituents from 7:30-9 a.m. tomorrow, Aug. 21 at Panera Bread, 20140 Haggerty Road in Northville.

"Gathering feedback from residents is one of the most important parts of a legislator's job," said Heise, R-Plymouth Twp. "Their perspective helps me to better represent their views. Heise is also available to meet with constituents by appointment either in the district or at his Lansing office. Residents can call toll free 1-855-REPKURT or e-mail KurtHeise@house.mi.gov to schedule an appointment.

Safe exchange site offered

The Canton Police Department is now offering township residents a safe place to conduct exchanges of items bought and sold over the Internet.

The police department lobby will have space where buyers and sellers on sites like Craigslist and eBay can conduct the exchange of payment and goods.

"It is always advisable when conducting a business transaction with strangers that it be done in a public area," police officials said.

"The Canton Police Department is committed to providing the highest level of service and safety to our residents," a spokesman added.

The Canton Police Department lobby is open and video monitored 24 hours a day.

Potters host workshop

Village Potters Guild in Plymouth will hold a third Raku Workshop from 5:30-9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 18 and again from noon until 9 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 19 at the guild, located at 326 N. Main St. in Plymouth.

During the 2 1/2 hour workshop, participants will choose from an assortment of styles of pottery priced from $10-30 and will then glaze their piece or pieces. The pots will be kiln fired by guild members and the creators can take the finished pieces with them. No previous clay experience is required.

There is a $10 registration fee and pottery demonstrations and sales will be included during the event. Register by calling (734) 207-8807.

The studio is located behind the Crossings Restaurant. For more information or directions to the studio, visit www.villagepottersguild.org.

Ford Field Festival set

The Ford Field Festival, formerly the Food Truck Festival, is planned for 5-10 p.m. Aug. 21 and from 2-10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 22 at Ford Field in Northville.

The event is sponsored by the Northville Chamber of Commerce and will include the various food trucks, live bands and a beer tent.

Tino's Farm picnic planned

The Constantino Del Signore Foundation (CDS) will host the annual fundraising picnic to help fund operations at Tino's Farm from noon until 7 p.m. this Sunday, Aug. 23.

The $15 admission ticket includes a barbeque chicken dinner, many other menu items and entertainment from bands including Second Wind and the Ticket. There will also be games and raffles. The funds will all be used to help operate the addiction recovery residence.

The farm is located at 55880 Eight Mile Road in South Lyon, abut a quarter mile past the Northville border. The picnic is open to the public.

Beer tasting brewing

Friends of the Wayne Public Library are planning a Beer Tasting Fundraiser at 6 p.m. tomorrow, Aug. 21.

Liberty Street Brewing will host the event including three featured specialty beers, Starkweather Stout, Steamy Windows IPA and Red Glare Ale along with snacks.

Advance tickets are $15 per person and are available at the Circulation Desk of the library, 3737 S. Wayne Road, Wayne.

Teen pizza and movie set

The Romulus Library will host a pizza party and movie beginning at 1 p.m. Aug. 22 for those 12 and older. The movie will be Insurgent, rated PG-13.

The event is free and 12-year-olds will need a signed permission slip available at the library front desk.

For more information, call the library at (734) 942-7589.

Ride for Red Shield set

A Ride for the Red Shield will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 22 to benefit The Salvation Army offices in both Plymouth and Wyandotte.

The ride begins at The Salvation Army Plymouth Corps, 9451 S. Main St., Plymouth, and finishes at The Salvation Army Downriver Corps, 1258 Biddle Ave., Wyandotte, between Northline/Ford and Goddard Road.

Registration, continental breakfast, and building tours begin at 9:30 a.m. prior to the 11 a.m. ride. A barbecue lunch will be served in Exchange Park, located behind the Downriver Corps.

Donation is $25 a rider and $20 and includes a t-shirt.

For more information, call Sandy Kollinger of the Plymouth office at (734) 453-5464, ext. 24, or email sandra_kollinger@usc.salvationarmy.org.

Diabetes PATH offered

A free, interactive, six-week workshop, PATH (Personal Action Toward Health) is designed to provide skills and tools to help people living with Type 2 diabetes and their support system live a healthier life.

The first of the six workshops takes place from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 25 the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road in Wayne.

Call 800-543-WELL (9355) or visit oakwood.org/classes.

Community gathering planned

The second Community Gathering in Westland will take place beginning at 6 p.m. Aug. 25.

Prior to the movie, George Brothers Band will provide live music. Refreshments will be available for purchase from Chicken Shack, a local food vendor, and the park concession stand. Free popcorn will be provided by Mayor William Wild and city representatives will have information on hand about various programs, services and upcoming events. City officials will be in attendance to answer questions or offer assistance.

The Disney computer animated movie Big Hero 6 will be shown at about 8:30 p.m. on a large inflatable screen.

Park It Movie Night will take place at Central City Park, 1901 N. Carlson.

Bark For Life event set

Bark For Life Canton will host a fundraising event beginning at 5 p.m. Aug. 25 at Firehouse Subs on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth Town Center in Plymouth.

The restaurant will donate 2- percent of all proceeds of sales between 5-7 p.m. to Bark For Life, a supporting event of the American Cancer Society.

City selling surplus equipment

The City of Westland will be offering surplus furniture and equipment during a sale beginning at 9 a.m. Friday, Aug. 28 in the west parking of the former city hall building, 36601 Ford Road and at the Bailey Recreation Center, behind the old city hall.

The sale will continue until 5 p.m. on Friday and will take place again from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 29, at both locations.

A complete list of items for sale will be posted on the city website www.cityofwestland.com prior to the days of the sale.

As required under city codes, city employees and their family members are prohibited from purchasing any property. All sales are final and all items are sold "as is." Buyers may pay using cash, certified check or money order. The city will not accept payment by personal check or credit card.

Macy's helps library

Friends of the Romulus Library are joining with Macy's for a Shop for A Cause day Saturday, Aug. 29.

Shoppers can purchase a $5 coupon at the front desk of the library and can then save 25 percent on all purchases at Macy's all day. Some exceptions do apply.

Funds generated from the fundraiser will heop pay for youth, teen and adult programming at the library.

Family Fun Festival planned

New Hope Family Fun Festival in support of Grief Awareness Day is planned from 4-8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30 at Mill Race Village in Northville.

Tickets are prices at $25 for adults, $10 for teens and those younger than 12 will be admitted at no cost. All proceeds will benefit New Hope Center for Grief Support.

The family event includes live music, games, a dunk tank, barbecue and candlelit memorial tribute during the evening. New Hope Center is a 501 © 3 nonprofit dedicated to provided support, education and community at no cost to those who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

To purchase tickets or for more information, call (248) 348-0115 or visit www.newhopecenter.net/rsvp.

Elder law series begins

A four-week elder law series presented by attorney Gary Allen is being offered by the Plymouth Community United Way and the Plymouth Community Council on Aging. The four part series includes: Tuesday, Sept. 1, Estate Planning; Tuesday, Sept. 8, Outliving your Assets; Tuesday, Sept. 22, Retirement Accounts (IRA, 401k, 403b, etc.) and Tuesday, Sept. 29, Taxes

Each topic will be presented at 10:30 a.m. until noon and from 6:30- 8 p.m. at Plymouth Township Hall, 9955 N. Haggerty Road.

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